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- 1. I am at least 18 years of age and am competent in all respects to make the following statements.
 - 2. I live at 10942 Saint Mary's, Houston, Texas 77079.
- 3. At the time of the application that matured into U.S. Patent 6,433,068 was filed, I was known as Lin Lu and resided at 2100 Tanneyhill, Apt. 2009, Houston, TX 77008
 - 4. I am the Lin Lu identified as an inventor on U.S. Patent 6,433,068.
- 5. By the time the present application, U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/419,571, was filed, my name had changed to Lin Lu Healy.

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- 6. I have reviewed U.S. Patent No. 6,433,068 entitled "Hydrocarbon Gels as Suspending and Dispersing Agents and Products," of which I and David S. Morrison are also inventors.
- 7. I declare that I and David S. Morrison contributed the subject matter related to hydrocarbon ester gels disclosed in U.S. Patent No. 6,433,068.

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